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## SPORTS INFORMATION

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### HOME EVENTS

Women's Hockey vs U.Q.T.R., Jan. 24(6:50 p.m.)  
Men's B.B. vs Bishop's, Jan. 24 (8:00 p.m.)  
"Theresa Humes Women's Hockey Tournament"  
(U.N.H., PROVIDENCE, LAVAL, BISHOP'S, ABBOTT  
Concordia, McMaster, St. Lawrence) **Jan. 27-29**  
Women's B.B. vs Laval, Jan.29 (2:00 p.m.)

### AWAY

Women's B.B. at Bishop's, Jan.27  
Men's Hockey at York, Jan. 27  
Men's Hockey at Toronto, Jan.28  
Men's B.B. at Carleton, Jan. 28  
Men's B.B. at Ottawa, Jan.29  
SKI TEAM at Rimouski, Jan. 28-29  
Wrestling at U.N.B., Jan. 28

### **"STINGERS DEFEAT RYERSON- FACE TOP TWO TEAMS THIS WEEK"**

**Men's Hockey Update:** The Stingers defeated Ryerson 4-2 (Jan. 14) after losing consecutive games against McGill (Jan. 10) and Windsor (Jan. 13). Concordia now has a 10-6 record in O.U.A.A. play. Captain **Mark Mahon** (Vankleek, Ont.) continues to lead the O.U.A.A. scoring derby with 9 goals and 31 assists for 40 points. Second year forward **Richard Laplante** (Boucherville Que.) had a 7 point week to move into second place in league scoring with 15 goals and 21 assists for 36 points.

**This Week:** Concordia will host two of the top teams in the country as U.Q.T.R. invades Montreal Tuesday, Jan. 17 while Western faces the Stingers Saturday, Jan. 21. The Stingers handed Les Patriotes their only defeat of the season Dec. 9 (4-3). They are currently ranked **SECOND** in the nation while the **THIRD** ranked Western Mustangs face the Stingers Saturday at 2:00 p.m. In the Stingers last meeting with Western, the Mustangs defeated Concordia 3-1. The maroon and gold will also entertain Guelph on Sunday - game time is 2:00 p.m.

**Last Week:** First year Stinger **John Gravelle** (D.D.O., Que.) led Concordia in their win against Ryerson. Gravelle fired two goals including the winner and was named **"Player of the game"** by the Ryerson press. He also had one goal against McGill earlier in the week, his first as a Stinger.

**All-Canadian** candidate **Richard Laplante** (5'11-185) has climbed to second place in scoring despite missing three games. Laplante and linemate **Mark Mahon** (5'10-180) have formed one of the top combinations in the C.I.A.U. Mahon has a **13 game point scoring streak while Laplante is on a 10 game streak**.

Defenceman **Claude Bisailon** (Chateauguay, Que.) had his first goal in league action against McGill while **E.J. Janiszewski** (D.D.O., Que.) had his first goal of the season against Windsor in the 3-1 loss. He also added two assists in the win against Ryerson.

Outstanding rookie goaltender **Robert Desjardins** (Verdun, Que.) made 42 saves against McGill in a losing cause. He **stopped 3 of 5 breakaways**. Desjardins allowed 2 goals in each game on the weekend and lowered his G.A.A. to 3.55. He played fantastic against U.Q.T.R. in their last meeting.

Senior forward **Paul Brophy** (Manotick, Ont.) had an empty net goal against Ryerson. Brophy, an **Honors Economics** student, had a **3.82 G.P.A. last year** and will apply for a Rhodes Scholarship in 1989.

### Women's Hockey This Week:

The Stingers put their 8 game unbeaten string on the line against Laval Sunday. The Rouge et Or are defending league champions. Concordia hosts U.Q.T.R. on Tuesday. Game time is 6:50 p.m.